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JOHN THURBURN,  
Manager, Hongkong.

Hongkong, June 18, 1893. 225

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A. C. MARSHALL,  
Manager, Hongkong.

Hongkong, May 17, 1894. 825

### THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

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Hongkong, May 24, 1893. 47

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For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,  
T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, May 15, 1893. 1515

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" 6 " 4 " " "  
" 12 " 5 " " "

T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 18, 1894. 359

## Intimations.

### HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB.

THE Annual General Meeting for the purpose of receiving the Committee's Report for the Past Season, and electing a Committee and Officers for the coming Season, will be held in the Pavilion, on MONDAY, the 24th September, at 5.00 p.m.

EDWARD A. RAM,  
Hon. Sec., H.K.C.C.  
Hongkong, September 15, 1894. 1492

### HONGKONG ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY.

THE Annual General Meeting of the MEMBERS of the above SOCIETY will be held in the CITY HALL, on MONDAY, the 24th Instant, at 5.30 p.m.

WM. A. CRICKSHANK,  
Hon. Secretary.  
Hongkong, September 17, 1894. 1497

## NOTICE.

THE Undersigned are prepared to GIVE ESTIMATES for Fitting the PATENT Process on Land and MARINE BOILERS for Boring CHARBONNAGES COAL DUST.

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Hongkong, August 20, 1894. 1348

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JELLIES. Guava, Sarsel, Mango, Corunda, in bottles, 12 8

JAMS. Pineapple, Tipparac, Mulberry, in bottles, 12 8

PRESERVES. Spiced Mango, Pineapple, Emblic Myrabolan, Tamarind, Citron, Mango, Koobera, Bael, Pulbul, Lima, Orange, in bottles, 12 8

MARMALADES. Citron, Mango, Bael, Orange, in bottles, 12 8

CHEESE. Gava, Bael, 1lb tin, per dozen 10/- 2lb tin " " " 16 0

SYRUPS. Lemon, Orange, Tamarind, Blackberry, Bael, Pineapple, Rose, Almond, Pomegranate, in quart bottles, 12 8

PICKLES. Onion, Cabbage, Bombay Mango, Lima, Bael, Red Cabbage, Sweet Mango, Mango, Mixed, Cauliflower, Sweet Cauliflower, bottles, 12 8

SAUCES. Tapp, Taniato, Mango, Tomatoes, Velocis, in pint bottles, 10 0

CURRY POWDER & PASTE. Curry, Malabar, Madras, Mulligatawry, in quart bottles, 12 8

LIME JUICE &c. Pure Non-alcoholic Lime Juice, in bottles, 9 8

Ground, Cayenne Pepper, White Pepper, Black Pepper, 1lb bottles 12 8

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Smoked Mango Fish with Rice, 50 in a tin, 8As., 100 in a tin, 6 0

The above Stores supplied at dozen rates even if 1 dozen of each kind is ordered at a liberal discount to Clubs, Messes and the trade. Cases for 1 dozen 8 Annas extra, for 2 dozen 18 extra.

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Corned Ox-tongues, 12lb in a barrel, per barrel, 9 0

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SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, £2,000,000.  
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Bankers: CAPITAL & COUNTRIES BANK, LIMITED.

Head Office: 3, PRINCES STREET, LONDON.

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RATES OF INTEREST. Allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits can be ascertained on application. Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

CHANTREY INCHBALD,  
Manager.

Hongkong, November 6, 1893. 247

## Business Notices.

### LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

AQUILA, OLAPSHAW & SALMONS' CRICKET BATS, SPRING HANDLES. COBBETT'S CRICKET BATS, ALL CANE.

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NEW STOCK of SPORTING and SHOOTING GEAR.

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LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.  
TELEPHONE 97.  
Hongkong, August 25, 1894. 1384

## PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

WILL dispatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on the DATES named:—

FOR. STRAITS. DATE. REMARKS.

NAGASAKI AND KOBE. Malacca. Noon, 21st Sept. Freight.

SHANGHAI. Siam. About 24th Sept. Freight or Passage.

LONDON, &c. Rangoon. Noon, 27th Sept. See Special Advertisement.

JAPAN. Amoy. 28th September. Freight or Passage.

For further Particulars, apply to P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, H. H. JOSEPH, Superintendent.

Hongkong, September 19, 1894. 1490

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Hongkong, September 10, 1894. 1433

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Hongkong, September 14, 1894. 1486

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NEAR PORTERS and WAITERS are continually on duty.

R. TUCKER, Manager.

Hongkong, October 21, 1892. 1842

## Business Notices.

### DAWSON'S PERFECTION OLD SCOTCH WHISKY.

ALLISTON & Co., SOLE AGENTS, HONGKONG AND THE FAR EAST.

62, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. Hongkong, November 11, 1893. 1949

## Intimations.

THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED (IN LIQUIDATION).

NOTICE is hereby given that a FIRST RETURN of CAPITAL Amounting to \$7.50 per SHARE has been declared in this matter.

SHAREHOLDERS on the Register can obtain PAYMENT of this on producing their SCRIP to the HONGKONG and SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION on and after the 20th SEPTEMBER, 1894, and on signing the Form of Receipt to be obtained at the said Bank.

Hongkong, 31st day of August, 1894. J. GOOSMANN, Liquidator.

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE Twenty-Eighth Ordinary MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the HEAD OFFICE, Victoria, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 22nd Instant, at Twelve o'clock, Noon, for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors, and Statement of Accounts to 30th April last, and of declaring Dividends.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 9th to the 22nd Instant, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors, W. H. RAY, Secretary.

Hongkong, September 1, 1894. 1426

## KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED.

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For the MELI BUREAU KANSHA, K. FUKUI, Manager.

Hongkong, July 2, 1894. 1107

## To Let.

TO LET. From 1st October. "GREENMOUNT," CANE ROAD—8 ROOMS.

For Particulars, apply to MESSRS. GILMAN & Co. Hongkong, September 18, 1894. 1504

## TO LET.

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Apply to Y. Y. Care of THIS PAPER. Hongkong, September 10, 1894. 1462

## TO LET.

NOS. 7 and 9, SEYMOUR TERRACE, OFFICES IN VICTORIA BUILDINGS, GODOWNS IN WANCHAI, at the back of McLEOD'S BARBERS.

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Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, September 13, 1894. 329

## TO LET.

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## TO LET.

N. O. 2, PEDDER'S STREET, next to the Post Office, No. 72, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

Apply to G. C. ANDERSON, 13, PRINCE CENTRAL. Hongkong, March 10, 1893. 504

## Shipping.

### Steamers.

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FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUI. The Co.'s Steamship "Formosa," Captain HOBAN, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 20th Instant, at 10 a.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers, Hongkong, September 19, 1894. 1503

### CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, FOCHOW AND TIENTSIN.

The Steamship "Yinching," Captain FENIMORE, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 20th Instant, at 10 a.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, September 17, 1894. 1490

### INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

The Co.'s Steamship "Chelydra," Captain GILES, will be despatched for the above Ports SATURDAY, the 22nd Instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, September 17, 1894. 1500

### CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE.

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Hongkong, September 14, 1894. 1499

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Hongkong, September 14, 1894. 1498

### FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND HAMBURG











